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Examiner: Manuel, George C.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Extra Claims Present	Rate	Fees
Total Claims	15			X \$50.00	\$ 0.00
Indep. Claims	1			X \$200.00	\$ 0.00
Multiply Dependent Claims					\$ 0.00
TOTAL FEES					\$ 0.00

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Respectfully submitted,

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ELECTION AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement dated 19 July 2006, Applicant hereby elect Group 1 (claims 116-118 *with* claims 119-130 being dependent thereon) without traverse.

The examiner has indicated that such claims are likely to be allowable. A minor amendment has been made to claim 116 to clarify, what is inherently the case, that the order of the method step is not defined by the claims unless it is so stated in the claims. To eliminate any ambiguity and to make this position certain if there are future changes in the patent law. The amendment to claim 116 therefore does not change its scope.

The changes to the remaining claims are to make them dependent upon the elected group.